



## PRESS RELEASE

Release Date & Time: Friday, November 21, 2008 5:00 PM

## Huntington Beach Police to Conduct Sobriety Checkpoint

**DATE & TIME:** November 21, 2008

9:00 P.M. to 3:00 A.M.

The Huntington Beach Police Department will be making an extra effort to keep our streets safe for everyone. Officers will be conducting a sobriety checkpoint on Friday, November 21, 2008.

It is the hope of the Department's Traffic Bureau to avoid serious injury and fatal collisions by interdicting DUI drivers before they have the chance to cause a tragedy. The Huntington Beach Police Department believes that a combination of prevention and enforcement will save lives, making our community a better place to live and work.

Funding for this program was provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. The Huntington Beach Police Department is working in partnership with OTS to educate the community on traffic safety issues as well as helping to prevent DUI related traffic incidents.



Prepared by: Rob Warden, Sergeant Traffic Bureau (714) 536-5663